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C O N F I D E N T I A L PARIS 02514

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: VN, FR, US

SUBJECT: LETTER FROM DRV FONMIN TO GOF FONMIN

1. AFP OF 29 JANUARY PUBLISHED EXCERPTS FROM LETTER FROM DRV FOREIGN MINISTER, NGUYEN DUY TRINH, TO HIS FRENCH COLLEAGUE, JEAN SAUVAGNARGUES IN HIS CAPACITY AS FOREIGN MINISTER OF A GOVERNMENT WHICH SIGNED THE ACT OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON VIETNAM. TEXT IS NO DOUBT ALREADY ON VNA TELETYPE. ACCORDING TO AFP EXCERPTS, LETTER GIVES USUAL COMPLAINTS ABOUT U.S. "VIOLATIONS" OF THE PARIS AGREEMENT. IN ADDITION, LETTER ACCUSES U.S. PURSUING WAR IN CAMBODIA, PROVIDING STRONG SUPPORT TO THE "EXTREME RIGHT" IN LAOS AND MAINTAINING A DISSUASION FORCE IN THAILAND TO OPPOSE THE VIETNAMESE AND OTHER INDOCHINESE PEOPLE. THE LETTER CALLS UPON THE GOF TO GET THE USG TO HONOR ITS UNDERTAKINGS AND TO EXECUTE CORRECTLY THE PARIS AGREEMENT ON VIETNAM.

2. QUAI DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR ASIA BOLLE WHO HAD NOT YET SEEN AFP VERSION AND WAS THEREFORE NOT AWARE THAT DRV
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HAD RELEASED TEXT, CONFIRMED THAT MESSAGE WAS NOT A

NOTE, BUT WAS A LETTER DIRECTLY FROM TRINH TO
SAUVAGNARGUES. IT HAD BEEN DELIVERED TO FRENCH EMBASSY
IN HANOI ON JANUARY 27. FRENCH ARE NOT AWARE OF WHETHER
THE SAME OR SIMILAR LETTER HAS BEEN SENT TO OTHER
SIGNATORIES OF THE ACT, BUT ARE ATTEMPTING TO FIND OUT.
BOLLE COMMENTED THAT THERE APPEARED TO BE LITTLE NEW
IN THE DRV ACCUSATIONS, BUT THE TEXT STILL SEEMED
WORTHY OF CLOSER STUDY.

3. WE WILL REPORT FURTHER ON FRENCH APPRAISAL OF LETTER
AND HOW THEY INTEND TO HANDLE REPLY.
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